

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Schinazi et al. Examiner: Khare, Davesh  
Serial No.: 10/632,875 Group Art Unit: 1623  
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Title: "2', 3'-Dideoxynucleoside Analogues for the Treatment or Prevention of Flaviviridae Infections"  
Confirmation No. 3042

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed October 6, 2006, said period of response being extended from January 6, 2007 to April 6, 2007.

Please charge \$510.00 extension of time fee for a small entity and any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725.



Respectfully submitted,  
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Date: April 6, 2007